

**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
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PATENT

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In re application of: George A. Georgiou

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For: COMPREHENSIVE SIGNALING NODE AND METHOD, INCLUDING A
PLURALITY OF SIGNALING ROUTINES

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the final Office action dated July 09, 2008, the Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the following remarks. As this response is being submitted within two months of the date of the final Office action, the Applicant respectfully contends that the extension of time policy set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and MPEP § 714.13 pertaining to responses to final rejections applies to this response.